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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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230 S. Dearborn Street
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Re: U.S. v. Reilly Tar & Chemical
St. Louis Park, Minnesota

Dear Bob:

This letter will acknowledge receipt of the CERCLA §106(a) order dated August 1, 1984 and confirm our telephone conversation of August 8 concerning that order.

In that conversation I requested a conference between Reilly and EPA, as provided for in the order. I requested that the conference be held the week of September 10 at the earliest inasmuch as the next two to three weeks are trial weeks for me and the week of September 3 is consumed with depositions previously scheduled in this case.

You indicated that, subject to Paul Bitter's concurrence that such a schedule would not adversely affect the construction schedule being contemplated, you saw no problem in this short extension beyond the 21-day limit imposed by the order.

You agreed to check with Bitter and to call me on Friday, August 10. Although I've not yet heard from you, I hope you will call me early next week so that a date can be set.

Very truly yours,

REILLY TAR & CHEMICAL CORPORATION

Robert Polack
Vice President & General Counsel

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